

AMENDMENTS TO THE SPECIFICATION

Please amend the paragraph beginning on line 22 of page 11 as follows:

It is noted that the system 100 can include a feedback link [[144]] (e.g., a feedback channel) that can be utilized by the receiver 120 [[140]] to send information about the quality of each of the paths to the sender 110 [[130]]. The feedback link [[144]] and the path quality parameters are described in greater detail hereinafter with reference to FIG. 11.

Please amend the paragraph beginning on line 25 of page 12 as follows:

When it is determined that the frame is from the first subsequence, the frame is encoded (step 824), packetized (step 828), and sent via a first path (step 830). When it is determined that the frame is not from the first subsequence, the frame is encoded (step 844), packetized (step 848), and sent via a second ~~first~~ path (step 850).